

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**(Our Case No. 1723-12960US02)**

In the Application of:	)	
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Kenneth R. Morris	)	
G. Patrick Stahly	)	
	)	<b>EXPRESS MAIL NO. <u>EL 849008267 US</u></b>
Serial No.: <b>To Be Assigned</b>	)	
Continuation of Serial No. 09/752,788	)	<b>DATE OF MAILING: October 17, 2003</b>
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Filing Date: October 17, 2003	)	
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Examiner: <b>To Be Assigned</b>	)	
Examiner of parent application: Y. Gakh	)	
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Group Art Unit: <b>To Be Assigned</b>	)	
	)	
For: METHODS OF SEARCHING FOR	)	
AND GENERATING HIGH FREE	)	
ENERGY FORMS	)	
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant submits this Preliminary Amendment with the filing of the continuation application identified above and enclosed herewith.

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims:**

Reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 4 of this paper.